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NATIONAL APPLICATION NO. JP2003/012708

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POLYESTER RESIN COMPOSITIONS, CATALYST FOR POLYESTER PRODUCTION, POLYESTER FILM, AND MAGNETIC RECORDING MEDIUM

DATE June 13, 2005

APPLICANT(S) FOR DO/EO/US

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Applicant herewith submits to the United States Designated/Elected Office (DO/EO/US) the following items and other information:

- [] This is a FIRST submission of items concerning a filing under 35 U.S.C. 371.
- 2. [XX] This is a SECOND or SUBSEQUENT submission of items concerning a filing under 35 U.S.C. 371.
- 3. [] This is an express request to begin national examination procedures (35 U.S.C. 371(f)). The submission must include items (5), (6), (9) and (21) indicated below.
- 4. [] The US has been elected by the expiration of 19 months from the priority date (Article 31).
- [] A copy of the International Application as filed (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(2))
 - a. [] is transmitted herewith (required only if not transmitted by the International Bureau).
 - b. [] has been communicated by the International Bureau.
 - [] is not required, as the application was filed in the United States Receiving Office (RO/US).
- 6. [] An English language translation of the International Application as filed (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(2)). (* pages).
 - [] is attached hereto. a.
 -] has been previously submitted under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4).
- 7. [] Amendments to the claims of the International Application under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371(C)(3))
 - [] are attached hereto (required only if not communicated by the International Bureau).
 - have been communicated by the International Bureau.
 - have not been made; however, the time limit for making such amendments has NOT expired.
 - [] have not been made and will not be made.
- 8. [] An English language translation of the amendments to the claims under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(3)).
- 9. [XX] An oath or declaration of the inventor(s) (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(4)).
- 10. [] An English language translation of the annexes to the International Preliminary Examination Report under PCT Article 36 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(5)).

Items 11 to 20 below concern document(s) or information included:

- 11. [] An Information Disclosure Statement under 37 CFR 1.97 and 1.98.
- 12. [XX] An assignment document for recording. A separate cover sheet in compliance with 37 CFR 3.28 and 3.31 is included.
- 13. [] A FIRST preliminary amendment.
- 14. [] A SECOND or SUBSEQUENT preliminary amendment.
- 15. [] A substitute specification.
- 16. [] A change of power of attorney and/or address letter.
- 17. [] A computer-readable form of the sequence listing in accordance with PCT Rule 13ter.2 and 35 U.S.C. 1.821 1.825.
- 18. [] A second copy of the published international application under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4).
- 19. [] A second copy of the English language translation of the international application under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4).
- 20. [] Other items or information:

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| TOTAL OF 21, 22 AND 23 = | | | | \$ 0.00 | |
| Surcharge of \$130.00 for furnishing the oath or declaration later than [] 20 [] 30 months from the earliest claimed priority date (37 CFR 1.492(e)). | | | | | |
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| CLAIMS | NUMBER FILED | NUMBER EXTRA | RATE | | |
| Total claims | - 20 | | x \$ 50.00 | \$ 0.00 | |
| Indep. claims | - 3 | | x \$ 200.00 | \$ 0.00 | |
| Multiple dependent claim(s) (if applicable) + \$ 360.00 | | | | \$ 0.00 | _ |
| TOTAL OF ABOVE CALCULATIONS = | | | | \$ 0.00 | |
| Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27. The fees indicated above are reduced by $\frac{1}{2}$. | | | | \$ 0.00 | |
| SUB TOTAL = | | | | \$ 0.00 | |
| Processing fee 130.00 for furnishing the English translation later than [] 20 [X] 30 months from the earliest claimed priority date (37 CFR 1.492(f)). | | | | \$ 130.00 | |
| TOTAL NATIONAL FEE = | | | | \$ 130.00 | |
| Fee for recording the enclosed assignment (37 CFR 1.21(h)). The assignment must be accompanied by an appropriate cover sheet (37 CFR 3.28, 3.31). \$40.00 per property + | | | | \$ 40.00 | |
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Please charge my Deposit Account No. 111833 in the amount of \$____ to cover the above fees.

d. [XX] The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 111833.

NOTE: Where an appropriate time limit under 37 CFR 1.494 or 1.495 has not been met, a petition to review (37 CFR 1.137(a) or (b) must be filed and granted to restore the application to pending status.

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